

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

In the Substitute Specification filed on September 17, 2010, please replace paragraph [0024] with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0024] Here, apart from a small-scale network such as LAN, the network includes, for example, WAN (Wide Area Network), the ~~internet~~ Internet and the like.

In the Substitute Specification filed on September 17, 2010, please replace paragraph [0044] with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0044] As shown in the diagram, for example, network 101 such as ~~internet~~ Internet and LAN (Local Area Network), center computer 102, a plurality of user computers 103 and a plurality of module-storing regions 104 that stores modules as software updates are connected. The center computer 102, the user computers 103 and the module-storing regions 104 are capable of communicating with each other through the ~~internet~~ Internet.

In the Substitute Specification filed on September 17, 2010, please replace paragraph [0045] with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0045] The number of the user computers 103 and the module-storing regions 104 can be anything so long as they are capable of being connected with the center computer 102. In addition, a topology that the user computers 103 is connected with the center computer 102 and the module-storing regions 104 may be, for example, company LAN being connected to the ~~internet~~ Internet. The form of connection may also be a computer of a remote branch office or a computer of a company run by a private individual and the like working so called as SOHO (Small Office/Home Office) connected to a computer in the head office through the ~~internet~~ Internet.

In the Substitute Specification filed on September 17, 2010, please replace paragraph [0120] with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0120] In addition, in the above described embodiment, a topology that each of the user computers are connected with each other through LAN is explained, however, the embodiment of this invention is not limited to this type. For example, each of the user computers is capable of being started up linking with other computers even when the user computers are connected with each other through the ~~internet~~ Internet.